



THE PIONEER

Dear Lois

Don't expect too hear much in writing because my mind's not what today. Freshmen are not supposed to be bright anyway, ^{but} you can see in a year.

This year is just about up. I'm a senior and in a way I'm sorry some ways. But I have three marks -

and I
senior
class of

being
and

Graciously Donated

not a
now

By

Lois Knowlton

of
but
me.

friends. Dosey. I hope that I have the best of luck in thing you do in life.

Stay as friendly as you and everything will turn right.

lots of luck to
sweet girl

Jess.

Best of everything to
a wonderful girl
in every way.

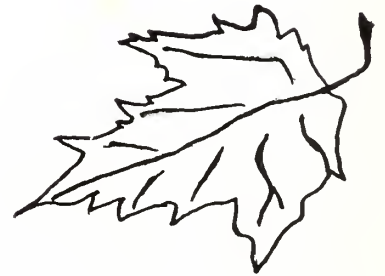
Richard


The Pioneer



From Leaves

Falling to Springtime



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Foreword

"HAIL TO NEBO HI"

When you turn the pages of this book in future days, we hope it will help you to remember and love Nebo High School.

The pattern set for days at Nebo sifts into a recipe of memories and happiness - the changing of classes - club meetings - assembly programs - ball games - pep meetings - Junior-Senior - Halloween Carnival - Senior Play - trip to Washington - Senior Day - these memories and more equally pleasant ones return whenever Nebo High School is mentioned.



We Dedicate . . .



Best Worker
James E. Johnson

In appreciation for the patient guidance he has given us, for the sympathy and consideration he has shown in dealing with our many problems, for the unerring faith he has placed in us, and for his help in making our high school days "happier days." We, the Senior Class of 1958, with admiration and respect, dedicate our yearbook, THE PIONEER to our principal, Mr. James E. Johnson.



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*Good luck in what
you decide to
do - yours sincerely
Rachael Keisler*



R. Laney



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MISS MARGARET
CARPENTER



*Best wishes
P. Wilson*
MRS. LELA
WILSON



MISS HELEN
PLANT

*Much
future
happiness
H. Plant*

Not Pictured
MRS. ELLA
ARLEGE



MR. LENN
RADER



MR. JACK
TRIPLET T



MR. THOMAS
STACY



Principal's Message to Seniors

To attempt to leave in your yearbook a message that would be meaningful and lasting is a very difficult task. To the scholar, realizing that lessons are sometimes learned very slowly and deliberately, this task might seem facetious. With the above in mind, I would like to re-emphasize two items of importance to your future well being. These two items are good attitudes and high ideals. The teachers here in your school have attempted to instill these into you through the four preparation years of high school. I use the phrase "preparation years" because of the emphasis placed on making one's self ready for the coming years. Realizing that these two items will probably have more bearing on your future years than any other characteristics you might possess, the teachers, in preparing you, have constantly stressed the importance of good attitudes and high ideals.

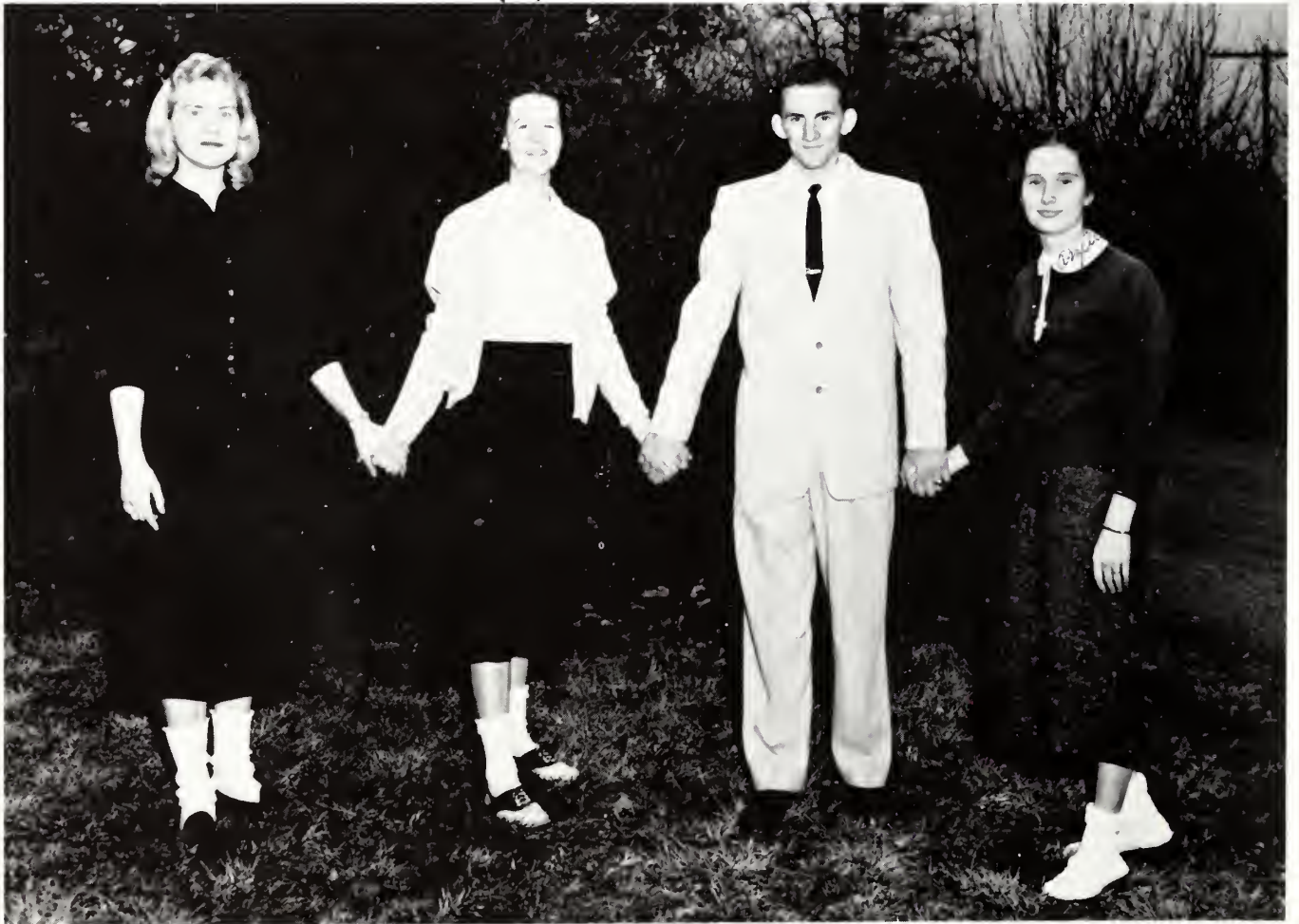
Our world is suffering from growing pains. You, an inhabitant of this world, will be caught up in the onrushing tide of these growing pains and be as a piece of flotsam on a raging river to be tossed around by every wave of change if your ideals have not solidified in your preparation years and if your attitude doesn't enable you to react intelligently to situations.

You are now finishing your preparation years here. You are now entering a commencement - - - a beginning. The greatest Man who ever lived, Jesus, the scripture tells us, "increased in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man." This covers all of the desirable phases of development of anyone. If you live and develop as Jesus did, with the proper attitude and ideals, you will be a great man or a great woman to be looked to for leadership in a troubled world.



seniors

Senior Class Officers



EUGENE BARRIER - - - - -	President	(Not Pictured)
NANCY PYATTE - - - - -	Vice President	
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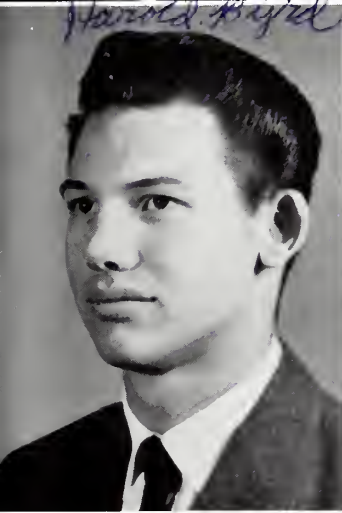
Seniors

EUGENE BARRIER

"Loyal hearted, strong of mind, a finer boy
you'll nowhere find."

PEARLINE BARKER

"How sweet and fair she seems to be."



HAROLD BYRD

"While I live, women shall rule me."

JACK EARLEY

"No good man ever grew rich at once."

NELLIE DEAN FOX

"I never met a man I did not like."

CLINE GARDNER

"Good humor is the wealth of the soul."



DOTTIE GARDIN

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

CHARLIE GIBBS

"I like the game and want to play."



Seniors

ARZELLA HARKLERODE

"Without music life would be a mistake."

ALICE HOPPES

"I strive not for gold, but for friends."

FRIEDA JAMISON

"She looked at him and saw nothing but him."

REBA JAYNES

"To know her is to love her."

HAZEL JENKINS

"Live today - let the future come."

CATHERYN MOODY

"As jolly as the day is long."

CHARLES OWNESBY

"Men of few words are often the best men."

RUBY PATTON

"Never say more than necessary."



Seniors

LOIS PETERS

"Take life easy and you'll enjoy it."

MARY POTTER

"Laugh and be merry! Remember better the world with a song."

BONNIE PRESNELL

"Leave silence to the saints; I am but human."

PAUL PRESNELL

"I believe in work, but I am not in favor of it."

TRAVIS PROCTOR

"Silence is one great art of conversation."

NANCY PYATTE

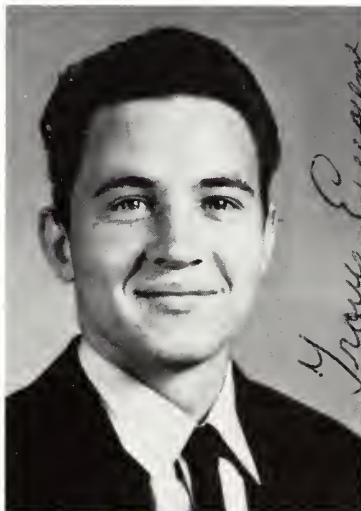
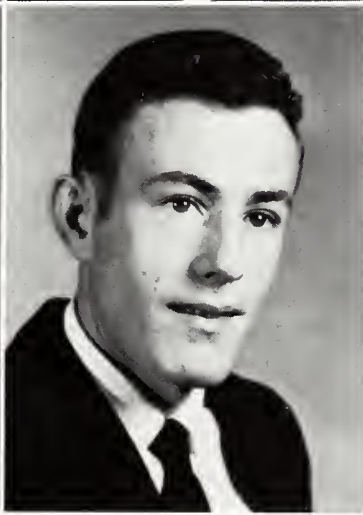
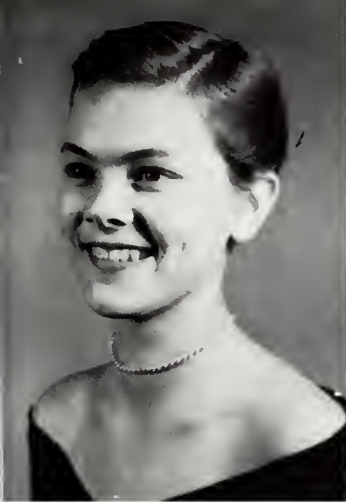
"She hath a daily beauty in her life."

HAROLD REVIS

"Patience is one of nature's vital virtues."

DONALD ROLAND

"So faithful in love and so dauntless in war."



Seniors

MAE TROUTMAN

"Actions speak louder than words."

JEANNIE THOMASON

"Think all you speak, but speak not all you think."

J. M. WALKER

"All men are created equal; some marry."

JOHNNIE WESTMORELAND

"Nothing is ever achieved without enthusiasm."

IRENE WILLIAMS

"She is made of friendliness."

BRUCE YOUNG

"Doing to learn; learning to do."

CLASS MOTTO

"Upward still and onward"

CLASS COLORS

Blue and Silver

CLASS FLOWER

Red Chrysanthemum



Last Will and Testament

- I, Penny Barker, leave my tattered paints and brushes to Dorothy Baucom, a beloved office companion and friend.
- I, Eugene Barrier, leave to Robert Crawley my most sincere hopes and wishes that he will continue in high school and finish with Honors.
- I, Harold Byrd, leave my position as center on the basketball team to Cline Pyatte. Watch those elbows, Cline.
- I, Jack Earley, leave my good citizenship to John Hensley.
- I, Nanabell Hollifield Fender, leave all my good times to Mary Ellen Fender, Alice Christopher, and Marie Atwood.
- I, Nellie Dean Fox, will my ability to get along with boys and the good times that I have had at Nebo High School to Dorothy Baucom. Make good use of them, Dorothy.
- I, Dottie Gardin, leave to my beloved brother Cecil, my unique ways of playing basketball. To Judy, I leave my good luck of growing up in high school.
- The professional driver, Cline Gardner, would like to leave his best ability and "know-how" of driving to Jackie Cooper.
- I, Charlie Gibbs, leave my basketball ability to John Hensley, and my baseball ability to James Childers.
- I, Arzella Harklerode, hereby leave my honored position on the front row of the Glee Club to Kay Fender.
- I, Alice Hoppes, leave my unusual luck of just getting to class right when the last bell rings to Mary Gunter.
- I, Frieda Jamison, leave my spit curls to Betty Branton. Make good use of them, Betty.
- Although I haven't much left since it has taken all I have to finish school, I, Reba Jaynes, leave my ability to love everybody to Zola Mae Triplett.
- I, Hazel Jenkins, leave to both of my sisters, Zelda and Shirley Lawing, the ability to be in the right place, with the right crowd at the time. Don't slow down, gals! Keep the boys going at all hours. To Jackie Cooper I leave my sneaky ways to get by with anything on the basketball team.
- I, Catheryn Moody, leave my ability to associate with people and all my secrets to Dorothy Baucom. See if you can keep them, Dorothy.
- I, Charles Ownesby, leave my ability to get along with other people to all Freshmen.
- I, Ruby Patton, leave to Mary Sue Elliot and Bobbie Jean Eply my love for Nebo High School and hope that they will continue in the years to come to love it as much as I have.
- I, Mary Barton, leave my lust for life to a sweet girl who happens to be my cousin, Cindy Conard. To boot I shall sadly leave behind my tattered old notebook which has carried me through four years of --- Hard Labor???
- In making my final will, I, Bonnie Presnell, have only two things that I can part with and they are D. C. and his red Ford which I give to Dorothy Baucom, and my sense of humor to Elwanda Toney.
- I, Paul Presnell, will my ability to model at parties to Jackie Cooper. Don't get embarrassed, Jackie.
- I, Travis Proctor, leave my ability to drive and get annual advertisements to David Jaynes. Drive carefully, Davey.
- As always being a great dreamer of far-a-way places, a cool millionaire, and backyard swimming, I, Nancy Pyatte, leave all of this to the girls who will make them a reality.
- I, Harold Revis, leave my ability to drive bus 14 to Bobby. Take care of it, Bobby.
- I, Donald Roland, leave my bad luck of getting a sore arm while playing basketball to Donald Smith.
- I, Jeannie Thomason, leave my moody spells to whoever will have them.
- I, J. M. Walker, leave my position as bus driver to the next in line for it, and my ability to make Beta Club to Herman Buchanan.
- Now that I have come to the last stage of my senior year, I, Irene Williams, leave my ability to meet boys and all the good times I have had here to Violet Williams and Glenda Farr.
- Remembering the driving lessons I have given you, I, Johnnie Westmoreland, will my ability to get license to John Presnell.
- I, Bruce Young, leave my bus driving job on bus No. 27 to anyone who can handle it.

Most Likely to Succeed

ALICE HOPPES
EUGENE BARRIER

Best School Citizen

DOTTIE GARDIN
JACK EARLEY



Most Versatile

IRENE WILLIAMS
J.M. WALKER

Cutest

MARY BARTON
TRAVIS PROCTOR

Best Personality

MAE TROUTMAN
CLINE GARDNER

Most Original

JEANNIE THOMASON
PAUL PRESNELL

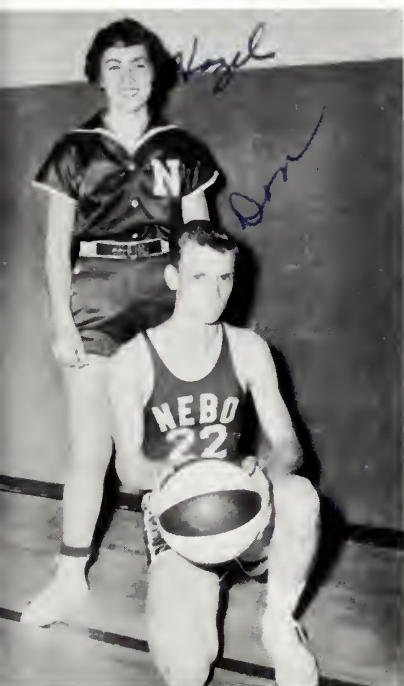


Best All Around

NANCY PYATTE
CHARLIE GIBBS

Friendliest

FRIEDA JAMISON
JOHNNIE WESTMORELAND



Most Athletic

HAZEL JENKINS
DONALD ROLAND

Most Courteous

LOIS PETERS
HAROLD BYRD

Most Ambitious

BONNIE PRESNELL
BRUCE YOUNG

Most Talented

ARZELLA HARKLERODE
HAROLD REVIS



Most Dependable

CATHERYN MOODY
CHARLES OWNESBY

Most Attractive

NELLIE FOX
PAUL PRESNELL



Best Dressed

REBA JAYNES
JACK EARLEY

Most Sincere

RUBY PATTON
CLINE GARDNER

Most Unpredictable

PENNY BARKER
CHARLIE GIBBS

Mascots

LOUELLA REVIS
CHARLES RAY McNEAL



Senior Class Prophecy

On a warm spring day in 1968, lying in my hammock in the backyard of my suburban Hollywood, California home, I was dreamily listening to my new portable Spherical radio, invented by Jack Earley and J. M. Walker, two of the country's leading electronics technicians, when suddenly -

"We interrupt this program to bring you a special news bulletin! The first space ship, piloted by Charlie Wm. Gibbs and Cline Gardner of 318 Sunset Boulevard, Reading, Pennsylvania, has just landed on Mars. We switch you now to our remote studios located in the forward rear section of the left tail fin."

"This is Nellie Fox and my assistant news correspondent, Bonnie Presnell, just here on the planet Mars. Our chief space authority, Travis Proctor, has issued a statement on the subject of the inhabitants of Mars."

"The planet Mars is inhabited by Martians, no less!"

"We switch you now to our technical advisor for this expedition, Johnny Westmoreland, and his assistant, Harold Revis, who have gone to interview some of the Martians."

"This is Johnny Westmoreland and my assistant at the capital city of Mars. The Martian president has just issued a statement:"

"Why don't you go back where you came from!"

"We switch you now to our chief Agriculture Agent, Dr. Paul Presnell, who has been testing the soil. Dr. Presnell, would you care to make a statement?"

"The people here must be very poor because the ground is clay, fit only for the growing of peanuts."

"Thank you, Dr. Presnell. Ladies and Gentlemen, we shall now switch you back to the planet earth."

"This is Nancy Pyatte on the planet earth. With the capable assistance of the head of my broad-casting staff, Jeannie Thomason, I shall endeavor to bring you the latest news from the planet Mars, now, five minutes before the hour. Now we present the most laughable comedians of the year, Donald Roland and Arzella Harklerode, in their hilarious comedy, LIFE WITH MOTHER."

I, of course, lying peacefully in my hammock, was very surprised and pleased to hear all of this delightful news, so I went into the house, got dressed, and went downtown to my favorite club, one of the largest in Hollywood, owned and operated by Harold Byrd. Sitting at one of the tables near the Desert Isle scene was Mary Barton Potter who beckoned to me with her soft brown eyes. I went over and we started talking about the news of the day.

"Have you heard the news?" she asked, with one of her cutest smiles.

I, of course, had heard the news, so we discussed a few down-to-earth things while Alice Hoppes, the Waiter, brought us some food.

"Did you know that Frieda Jamison owns a chain of hotels now?" she asked.

"No," I answered, "but I'm not surprised. Does she run them by herself?"

"No," she has hired Kathryn Moody as manager, and also Reba Jaynes and Ruby Patton to assist her. The other day two burns asked her for jobs as bell boys, and because their names happened to be Charles Ownesby and Bruce Young, she hired them."

"Well, that just goes to show," says I, "what a cruel world it is, although it is very small."

"I have been told that Penny Barker and Lois Peters are planning to establish a beauty parlor on Mars when space travel becomes fairly common," she said with a comical grin.

"Well, some people have it and others don't. Now you take Irene Williams and Mae Troutman. Who would ever have thought that they would become top-notch Nuclear experts, capable of putting that rocketship into the sky?"

"Were they responsible for that?" she asked in an astonished voice.

"Sure they were, and did you know that Dottie Gardin and Hazel Jenkins were planning to start mass production of rockets in their Missile Plant? They say that by 1970, there will be a rocket in every American home."

"Well, I'll be! This world is too fast for me," she said.

After sitting there for a few more minutes I invited her over to have dinner at my little bungalow. She gladly consented to come over at eight. I got up, walked out of the bar, thinking about my old school chums who had risen so far above me - even to the planet Mars which is very far above me.

Eugene Bernier

Senior Statistics

PEARLINE BARKER

Rock Springs High 2; Bethel High 3; 4-H Club 1,3,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Commercial Club 3,4; Folk Arts Club 3; Library Club 1,2,3; Office Club 3.

EUGENE BARRIER

Key Club 2,3,4, President 4; President Freshman Class; Secretary Sophomore Class; Secretary Junior Class; President Senior Class; Basketball Timekeeper 2,3,4; Glee Club 3; Assistant Editor Highlight Staff 4.

HAROLD BYRD

Key Club 2,3,4; 4-H Club 1; Dramatics Club 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Commercial Club 4; Monogram Club 3,4.

JACK EARLEY

Dramatics Club 1; Baseball 1,2,4; Key Club 2,3,4, Reporter 1; Sophomore Vice President; Treasurer 3; Annual Staff 4; Bus Driver 4; Monogram Club 3,4; Treasurer 3; Vice President Key Club 3,4.

NELLIE DEAN FOX

4-H Club 1; Glee Club 1,2,3,4, Treasurer Glee Club 3,4; Dramatics Club; FHA Club 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 1, Reporter 2; Beta Club 2,3,4, Treasurer 3, Secretary 4; Future Nurses Club 3; Commercial Club 3,4, Vice President 4; French Club 4; Student Council 3; Marshal 3; Miss High Miss 4; Annual Staff 4.

~~DOTTIE GARDIN~~

4-H Club 1,2; Glee Club 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2,3,4; FHA Club 1,2,3, Secretary 3; Annual Staff 4; Monogram Club 3,4; Chaplain 3,4; FTA Club 4, Secretary 4.

HAZEL JEAN JENKINS

Glee Club 1,2,3; FTA Club 3,4, President 4; FHA Club 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4, Co-Captain 4; Softball 1,2,3; Beta Club 2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Monogram Club 3,4, President 4; Dramatics Club 1; Marshal 3.

CLINE GARDNER

4-H Club 1,2; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Key Club 2,3,4; Bus Driver 3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball Co-Captain 4; Dramatics Club 1; Secretary Senior Class; Monogram Club 3,4, Treasurer 4.

CHARLIE GIBBS

Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Key Club 2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Class Reporter 1,2; Basketball Co-Captain 3; 4-H Club 1; Annual Staff 4; Monogram Club 3,4; Highlight 2.

ARZELLA HARKLERODE

Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4, Reporter 3; FHA Club 1,2,3,4, Secretary 4; Dramatics Club 1; Commercial Club 4; Class Reporter 4; Annual Staff 4; FTA Club 4.

ALICE HOPPE

Dramatics Club 1; Beta Club 2,3,4; Glee Club 2,3,4, Secretary 4; Commercial Club 3,4; Class Reporter 1,2; Class Treasurer 4; Annual Staff 3,4; French Club 4; Library Club 2,3,4.

FRIEDA JAMISON

4-H Club 1,2,4, Reporter 4; FHA Club 1,2,4; FTA Club 4; Commercial Club 4; Dramatics Club 1; Glee Club 1; Highlight Staff 4.

REBA JAYNES

FHA Club 1,2, Historian 2; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 3; Basketball 1; Class Vice President 3; Queen 3; Dramatics Club 1.

CATHERINE MOODY

4-H Club 1,2,4; Softball 1,2,3; FTA Club 4; Glee Club 1,2,4; FHA Club 1,2,4; Commercial Club 4; Dramatics Club 1.

CHARLES OWNESBY

Key Club 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,4; 4-H Club 1,2,4; Dramatics Club 1.

RUBY PATTON

FHA Club 1,2; Glee Club 1; Dramatics Club 1; Commercial Club 4.

LOIS PETERS

Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Dramatics Club 1; 4-H Club 1; FHA Club 1,2,3,4, Vice President 4; Commercial Club 4; Glee Club President 4.

MARY BARTON POTTER

Rome, Italy 1; Baxton Mass. 3; Science Club 1; Beta Club 2,3,4; Sophomore Class President; 4-H Club 2; Soccer 3; Art Club 3; Glee Club 4; Photographer 4.

BONNIE PRESNELL

Glee Club 1,2,3,4, Vice President 4; FHA Club 1,2,3,4, Vice President 2, Treasurer 3; Office Staff 1,2; Beta Club 2,3,4, Reporter 4; Class Reporter 3; Annual Staff 4; Commercial Club 3,4, President 4; FTA Club 3,4, Reporter 4, Vice President County FTA Council 4; Harvest Queen 1,3; Marshal 3; French Club 4; Nurses Club 3; Dramatics Club 1.

PAUL PRESNELL

Pleasant Gardens 1; Basketball 1,2,3; FFA Club 1,

TRAVIS PROCTOR

Bus Patrol 3; Key Club 4; Baseball 4; Dramatics Club 1; 4-H Club 1.

NANCY PYATT

Beta Club 2,3,4, President 4; Dramatics Club 1; Cheerleader 1; Basketball 2,3; FTA Club 3,4, Vice President 4; Glee Club 1,2,3; FHA 1,2; May Queen 3; Annual Staff 4; Highlight Staff 4; Vice President Senior Class; French Club 4; Marshal 3; Office Staff 1,2,3,4.

HAROLD REVIS

4-H Club 1; Glee Club 2,3,4; Librarian 4; Bus Driver 3,4; Dramatics Club 1; Key Club 4; Commercial Club 4.

DONALD ROLAND

Glee Club 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Key Club 2,3,4, Reporter 4; Baseball 1,2,4; Science Club 2; Dramatics Club 1; Commercial Club 4, Reporter 4; Highlight Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Monogram Club 3,4, Reporter 4; Class Reporter 3; 4-H Club 2; High School King 3.

JEANNIE THOMASON

Glee Club 1,2,3; FHA Club 1,2,3; Softball 2; Class President 3; Spanish Club 3; FTA Club 4, Treasurer 4; Dramatics Club 1; Highlight Staff 4; Office Staff 1,2.

MAE TROUTMAN

Glee Club 1,2,3,4; FHA Club 1,2,3,4; Dramatics Club 1; 4-H Club 1,2,3,4, Reporter 4; Commercial Club 4; Office Staff 4.

J. M. WALKER

4-H Club 1,2; Dramatics Club 1; Beta Club 2,3,4; Key Club 4; Science Club 1; Bus Driver 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Highlight Staff 4; Commercial Club 4.

IRENE WILLIAMS

4-H Club 1,2,3,4, Reporter 3, Vice President 4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Librarian 4; FHA Club 1,2,3,4; FTA Club 4; Cheerleader 3,4; Dramatics Club 1; Nurses Club 3; Commercial Club 3,4, Secretary 4.

JOHNNIE WESTMORELAND

Thomasville, N. C. 1; Basketball 1; Football 1; 4-H Club 1; Glee Club 1; Key Club 1; Nebo School Dramatics Club 1.

BRUCE YOUNG

Glenwood School 1; 4-H Club 4; Bus Driver 4.



juniors

Junior Class Officers



DONALD SMITH - - - - -President
 CHARLES HENSLEY - - - - - Vice President
 JACKIE COOPER - - - - - Secretary and Treasurer
 ZELDA LAWING and MARGIE EARLEY - - - - -Reporters

Juniors

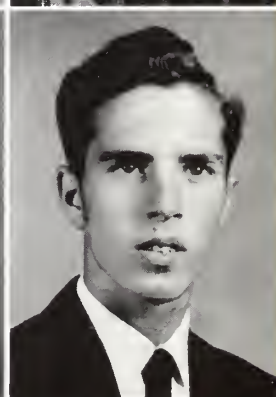
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ROBERT BALLEW

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DORA LEE BLACK
CECIL BUCHANAN

ALICE CHRISTOPHER
HAROLD CHURCH
DORIS CONNER

JACKIE COOPER
MARY ALICE CRAIG
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Juniors

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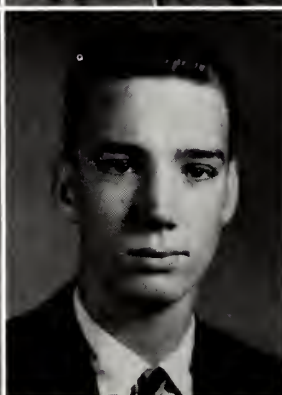
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RICHARD HOLLIFIELD
ZELDA LAWING



JOANN MANEY
BARBARA OWENS
RAY PATTON



JOHN PRESNELL
DONALD SMITH
ELWANDA TONEY



Not Pictured
J. G. BARRIER
MAX FENDER
HORACE PHILLIPS
CALVIN PYATTE
DAVID JAYNES



sophomores

Sophomore Class Officers



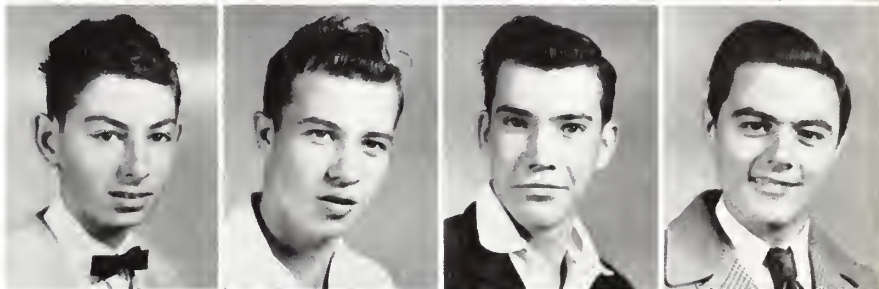
HERMAN BUCHANAN - - - - - President
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MARGARET HOLLAND - - - - - Secretary
BOBBIE APLEY - - - - - Treasurer
FRANCES PERKINS and MARY LEWIS - - - - - Reporter

Sophomores

Shirley Anderson
Jean Atwood
Betty Branton
Herman Buchanan



Johnny Bumgarner
James Childers
David Conner
Bill Curry



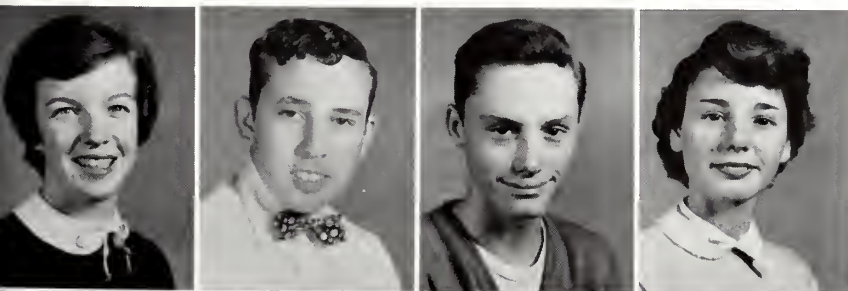
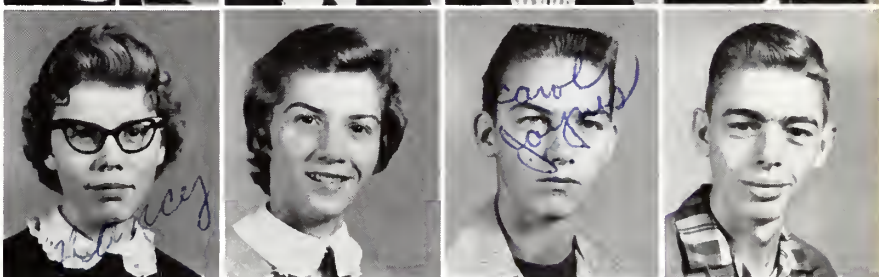
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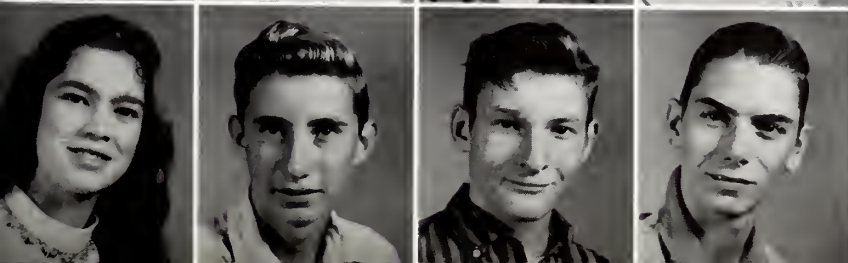
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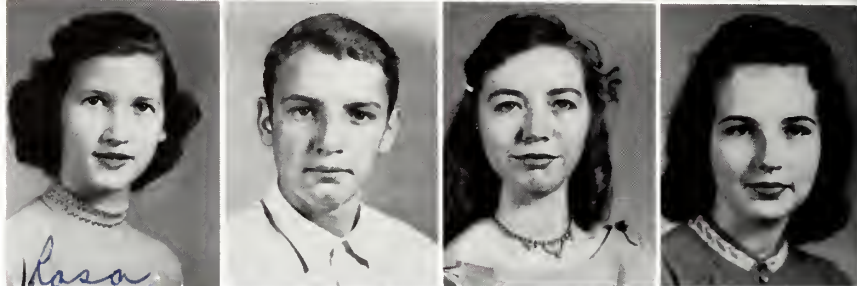
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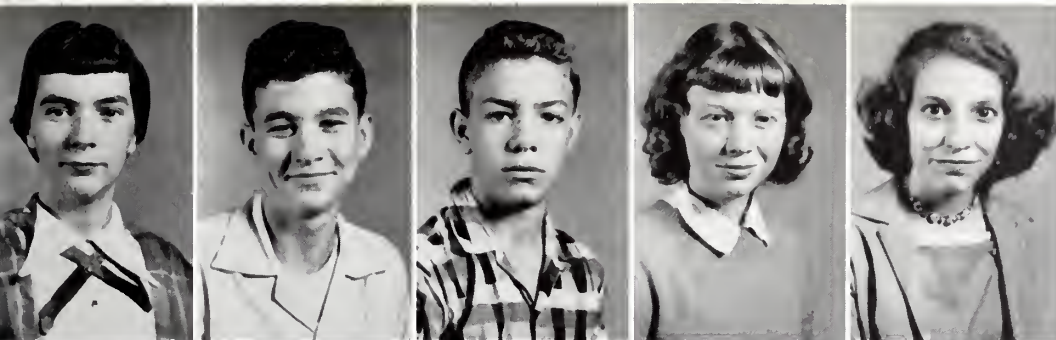


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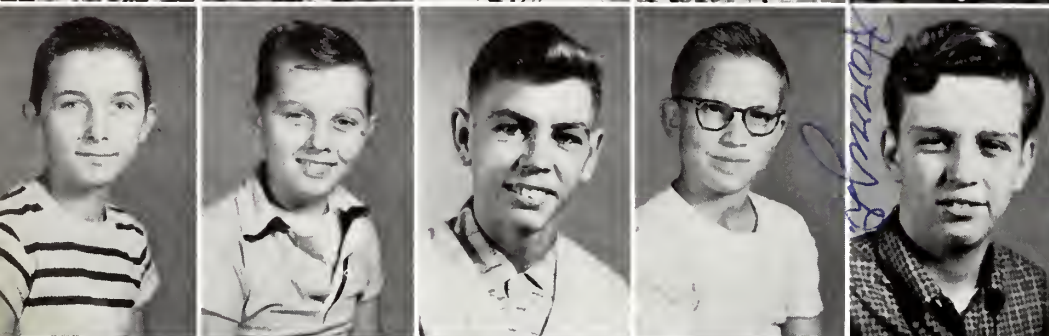
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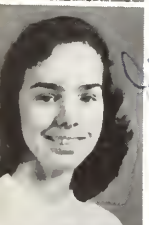
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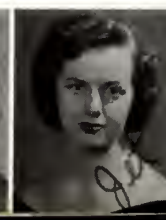
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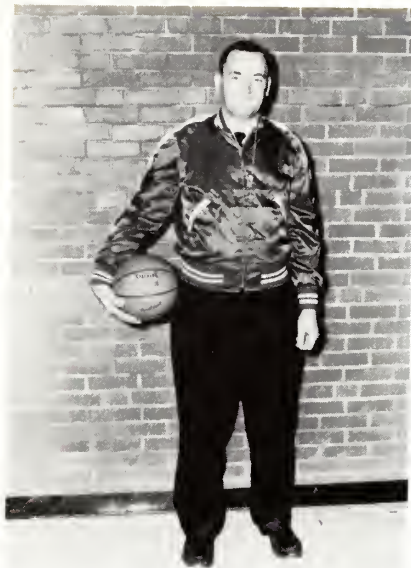
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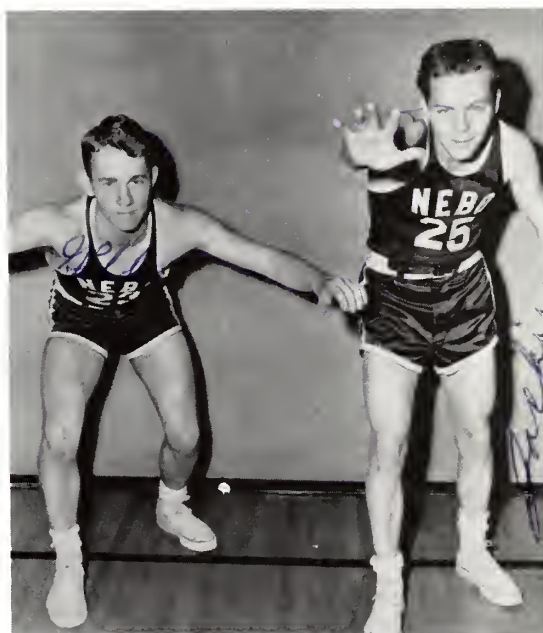


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